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Mr. Tom Chittum:
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Dear Mr. Chittum:

I apologize for not having responded sooner to your letter of April 10th. However, I just recently received your correspondence from my publisher in New York.

I must confess to a very strong bias as it relates to Gerald Posner. I do not accept anything that he says, and consider his book to contain enumerable misrepresentations of a serious nature.

If Kellerman, a Secret Service Agent who was present in the car when Kennedy was shot, stated under oath that he heard JFK say something, why would anybody prefer to believe Posner?

I should like to urge you to obtain a copy of a complete rebuttal to Posner's book entitled Case Open by Harold Weisberg (address below). Mr. Weisberg, who is one of the most respected and knowledgeable JFK critic-researchers, has addressed many of Posner's misstatements in his book.

In light of your genuine interest in the JFK assassination, I should like to make you aware of a new organization, Coalition on Political Assassinations (COPA). Perhaps you might wish to consider becoming an active member and receiving our publication and other announcements. Also, we shall be conducting a conference in Washington,

D.C., October 7-10. I shall see to it that you are sent membership and conference materials directly from the COPA office in D.C. in the near future.

Sincerely yours,

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